

U. S. Treasury Department,

SECRET-SERVICE DIVISION,

New York District,

New York City, August 25th 1875.

Thos. Jas. Pollock
 Sup. U.S. Mint
 Phila. Pa.

Sir:

I am in receipt of a communication from Elmer Washburn Esq. Chief of the Secret Service Division—desiring to ascertain, if the counterfeit 5[¢] nickel left by me with you on the 11th inst. to be assayed, was struck by the same die, as those forwarded to you from the Department last Fall; or—are they two distinct, and separate, dies?

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such views, or suggestions, as in your
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Very respectfully
Wm W Kennock
Acty Treas New York City.

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U.S. Sent Service Division
New York
August 23. 1875

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fall.

Recd Augt 24/75

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Act'g. Chief New York Dist.